



The Limited Edition
2001

United States Mint
Proof Set®



STATE
QUARTERS

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Includes 5 New
50 State Quarters™



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Commemorate the year and Celebrate the States.

Announcing the new U.S. Mint Proof Set Ten Proof Coins in All.

The official United States Mint Proof Coins for 2001 are now available. The set includes all five quarters issued under the 50 State Quarters™ Program for 2001, plus the Lincoln cent, Jefferson nickel, Roosevelt dime, the Kennedy half-dollar and the “Golden Dollar” featuring Sacagawea — ten coins in all.

The Rare Quality of Proof Coins.

The extraordinary brilliance and sharp relief of U.S. Mint Proof Coins shimmers with brilliant, mirror-like background surfaces. Their frosted, sculpted foregrounds give them a special “cameo” effect, created by the exacting proofing process. Proof blanks are specially treated, hand-polished, and cleaned to ensure high-quality strikes. The blanks are then fed into presses fitted with specially polished dies and struck at least twice to ensure sharp, high relief. The coins are then packaged in airtight acrylic cases to showcase and preserve their exceptional finish.

Five New 50 State Quarters.™

The hugely popular 50 State Quarters™ series continues for 2001, with new coins honoring New York, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Vermont and Kentucky. This is the third annual set in a ten-year series celebrating the unique characteristics of each of the fifty states. There's never been an American coin series like it.

A Must for Collectors.

The United States Mint Proof Set® is prized by collectors for unsurpassed quality and consistency. Year after year, it's the definitive expression of America's coin tradition. And never more so than today, as the unprecedented 50 State Quarters have inspired a new generation of collectors.

Great Gifts—and No Order Limits!

Birthdays, graduations, anniversaries, weddings—what better way to mark the occasion than with the United States Mint Proof Coins for this year. They're the gifts that just get better with time. Order the ten-coin 2001 Proof Set for only \$19.95 or the five-coin 50 State Quarters Proof Set™ for \$13.95. Order as many as you like, but order now to ensure availability.

Order your 2001 U.S. Mint Proof Set today at www.usmint.gov, return the enclosed order form, or call 1-800-USA-MINT.



- Multiple-struck mirror-finish
- Protective transparent case
- Coins bear the San Francisco Mint's "S" mint mark
- Includes Certificate of Authenticity



New York



North Carolina



Rhode Island



Vermont



Kentucky





- 2001 Coins honoring New York, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Vermont, and Kentucky
- America's most popular and distinctive coin series
- Includes Certificate of Authenticity



Q01 — \$13.95

Limited quantities, maximum appeal.

The U.S. Mint Proof Set® is the ultimate edition of this year's U.S. coins. They are minted in a painstaking process that requires two or more strikes with hand-polished dies to achieve the brilliance and richness of detail that distinguishes them from all other collectible coins.

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P01	Ten-Coin 2001 United States Mint Proof Set®	\$19.95	_____	\$ _____
Q01	Five-Coin 2001 50 State Quarters Proof Set™	\$13.95	_____	\$ _____
	Shipping & Handling			\$ 3.95
ORDER TOTAL				\$ _____
Customer Number	Date of Order	Method of payment		
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Dear Collector:

I am pleased to announce the release of the 2001 United States Mint Proof Set®, featuring all of the current U.S. coins. These sets are valued for far more than their brilliant appearance. They can mark milestones in our lives and the lives of friends and family members. As a gift or as the start of a personal collection, the 2001 proof set will be appreciated for its exquisite detail and long-lasting beauty.

THE RARE QUALITY OF PROOF COINS – THE JEWELS OF COINAGE

The proof set is prized by collectors for unsurpassed quality and consistency. Year after year, it's the definitive expression of America's coin tradition. Never more so than today, as the unprecedented 50 State Quarters™ have inspired a new generation of collectors.

The extraordinary brilliance and sharp relief of U.S. proof coins shimmer with brilliant, mirror-like background surfaces. Their frosted, sculpted foregrounds give them a special "cameo" effect, created by the exacting proofing process. Proof blanks are specially treated, hand-polished, and cleaned to ensure high-quality strikes. The blanks are then fed into presses fitted with specially polished dies and struck at least twice to ensure sharp, high relief. All coins in the ten-coin and five-coin sets are sealed in presentation cases to preserve the exceptional finish.

FIVE NEW 50 STATE QUARTERS™

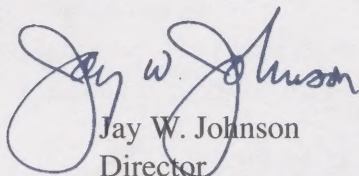
Each of these five new quarters celebrates the unique heritage of its state – New York's Gateway to Freedom, North Carolina's First Flight, Rhode Island's coastline, Vermont's maple trees and Kentucky's Federal Hill. Few coins today have the degree of artistry and detail that's so beautifully revealed in a proof coin.

This year's set includes all five quarters issued under the 50 State Quarters Program for 2001, plus the Lincoln cent, Jefferson nickel, Roosevelt dime, Kennedy half-dollar and the Golden Dollar featuring Sacagawea — ten coins in all.

AN UNFORGETTABLE GIFT – AT A REMARKABLE PRICE

When is the last time you gave a gift that you knew would be kept and cherished for years to come? Whether you're commemorating the birth of a new baby or a favorite nephew's graduation, the 2001 U.S. Mint Proof Set is a special and memorable gift. Order the 10-coin proof set for \$19.95 and the five-coin 50 State Quarters Proof set for \$13.95. Order as many as you like, *while supplies last!*

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Jay W. Johnson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Jay" being particularly prominent.

Jay W. Johnson
Director

United States Mint

P.S. The season of graduations, weddings and anniversaries is just around the corner. A U.S. Mint Proof Set is a perfect gift to mark any occasion and one that will last a lifetime. Order today at www.usmint.gov or call toll free 1-800-USA-MINT *while supplies last!*